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THE INTERESTS OF NEVADA IN THE FORTY-FIFTH CONGRESS

Legislation Affecting Our State—An Interview With Our Congressman.

(Eureka Leader, July 12th.)

Since the return of Hon. Thomas Wren, M. C., from Washington, no available opportunity has presented itself, until to-day, for a member of the *Leader* staff to converse with him, and obtain his views on the interests of our State, affected by the Forty-fifth Congress.

We found Mr. Wren in his office, ready and willing to undergo the interviewing process.

After a brief exchange of salutations, we plunged at once into the midst of the subject.

Mr. Wren speaks with all the force and directness which his appearance and his ordinary intercourse with his fellow-townsmen has rendered so familiar to us all. We prefer to let him tell the story of his participation in passing events in his own language:

THE SILVER BILL.

The first and most important measure passed during the session of Congress just closed was, of course the bill remonetizing silver. The bill is not all that the friends desired, but it was the best that could be passed and will doubtless be amended at the next session of Congress so as to place the coinage of silver on an equality with gold. The enemies of remonetization published before the passage of the bill that it would ruin our credit abroad; that our bonds would fall from eight to ten per cent. in the markets of the world; that all of the gold would be drawn out of the United States; that the price of gold would rise and the price of currency and silver fall, and other evils, too numerous to mention, overtake the country. On the other hand, the "silver men" contended that our credit abroad would not be injured by the passage of the bill; that the price of gold would fall; that it would not be driven from the country, that the silver dollar would be at par with gold and the greenback nearly at par. Senator Jones, the great leader of the remonetization movement, was specially emphatic in arguing the latter views, and results have completely verified their correctness. Immediately after the passage of the bill our bonds rose in Europe and at home. The price of gold fell. The silver dollar has been at par with gold from the time the first dollar was coined until the present, and greenbacks have been practically at par nearly ever since. Owing to the small quantity of silver coined under the bill up to the present time, and the very remarkable action of the Secretary of the Treasury, the value of silver bullion has remained at about its price at the time the bill passed, but the drain of silver to India and China and the demand for coinage at home, to say nothing of a probable resumption of silver coinage in France and the European States, will, within a year, restore silver bullion to its price at the time it was demonetized by this country.

TIMBER BILLS.

Next in importance to this State were the timber bills passed. The one providing for the sale of non-timber lands, the other authorizing our citizens to cut timber for mining and agricultural purposes upon the mineral-bearing timber lands. As the law stood before the passage of these bills our citizens were liable to be prosecuted, fined and imprisoned for cutting timber on the public lands in this State. Most of the timber lands are mineral bearing and reserved from sale, except as mining claims. Had the law as it stood been enforced, mining in the middle and eastern parts of the State would have been brought to a stand-still. The danger seemed imminent from the course of the Secretary of the Interior in some of the mining States and Territories. Wood and timber taken from the public lands was seized under his direction in Montana and California, and prosecutions were commenced against the parties cutting it. The bill, introduced by myself, granting this State lands for school purposes in lieu of those already granted but unavailable, was reported favorably, with amendments, by the Committee on Public Lands, and will pass at the next session. I have no doubt.

THE CHINESE.

A good deal of interest was manifested during the session, on the Republican side of the House, relative to the Chinese question, and from expressions of opinion I heard, particularly among the New England members, from whom we expected the most opposition, I have very little doubt that most Republicans will vote to restrict Chinese immigration, and from expressions I heard on the Democratic side, that the bill reported for that purpose will pass the House early next Winter.

A movement was made during the session last Winter, before the Committee on Coinage, Weights and Measure, to secure a report in favor of discontinuing the coinage of trade dollars, probably for the purpose of bearing silver bullion. It was easily defeated in committee by a fair and full presentation of the merits relative to its coinage and its use in China.

CYPHUS.

England having gained possession of this important key to the route to her East Indian possessions, upon her agreeing to protect Turkey's interests in Asia, a brief history of the island will be interesting reading:

It is situated in the northeast corner of the Mediterranean, and about 44 miles from the coast of Syria. It is 140 miles long and 50 broad at the widest point, containing an area of 3,678 square miles. Its present population is estimated at 200,000, a large portion of whom are Greeks. The interior of the island is traversed by a range of mountains, the highest point of which rises 7,000 feet above sea level. These mountains are covered with vast forests of timber. The soil is generally fertile, but not well irrigated. The staple products are cotton, wheat, tobacco, silk, wine and fruit. Lexicographers say that perhaps no country in the world has changed masters so many times, or holds within its bosom the relic of so many civilizations. In ancient times Cyprus was devoted to worship of Aphrodite or Venus, who was fabled to have risen from the sea. Cyprus was conquered by the Phoenicians 1100 B. C., and in turn came into the possession of the Assyrians, Egyptians, Persians, Romans, Saracens, the Crusaders, Venetians, until finally acquired by the Turks, in 1573, who have constantly held it until the present. Cyprus has been an interesting field of archeologists, as beneath its soil is the tomb of different civilizations found in the buried cities, containing vast quantities of marbles, coins, medals, idols, lamps, objects in glass, terra cotta, statuary, and articles of domestic life. It was only during the present century that the Turkish government has permitted extensive researches among these ancient ruins; and it is but recently that the most interesting and valuable discoveries have been made by the American Consul at Cyprus, Gen. di Cesnola, who commenced his extensive explorations in 1870. The collection made by him is the most valuable of all the antiquities before discovered in the island, consisting of rings, necklaces, beads, buttons, spoons, etc., many of them gold and wrought with great skill in execution and design. Over the grave of these buried cities, with their entombed warriors, whose names and deeds are lost in the mists of centuries, will England keep living watch to check the aggressors of the nations who yet see in Cyprus and other lands where civilization first beheld the dawn, inviting fields to possess.

A COMING EVENT.

Not least among the interesting events of the coming month of July will be the assembling of an International Conference of the Jewish people in Paris. It is expected that delegates will be in attendance from every part of the globe. Among the matters which will occupy the attention of the Conference are: The condition of the Jewish residents of the Danubian principalities and of Russia, Morocco, and Persia; the best means for securing industrial and educational advantages for the Jews of Jerusalem; the adoption of measures for the promotion of Hebrew education and for the advancement of Hebrew literature. Another important subject to be considered is a proposition to convene a synod for the purpose of inquiry into the condition of modern Judaism and the authoritative exposition of Jewish ecclesiastical law. It will be remembered that within the past few years two synods have been held, avowedly for this purpose, one at Leipzig, attended chiefly by European Jews, and the other at Philadelphia, attended exclusively by American Jews. The proposition to be considered at the coming Conference is to call a synod which shall represent the Jews all over the world — S. F. Call.

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

FOR DELINQUENT TAXES FOR the fiscal year ending December 31st, A. D. 1877. Upon record by virtue of four different judgments recovered in said court, in favor of the State of Nevada Plaintiff, and against the following named unknown owners, Defendants, and possessory claims and improvements thereon, together with costs and expenses of sale, and in pursuance of law I will expose for sale at public auction in front of the Court House doors in the town of Reno, Washoe county, Nevada, between the hours of 9 o'clock A. M. and 5 o'clock P. M., to wit at 2 o'clock P. M. on TUESDAY, the THIRTYEIGHT (38) DAY of JULY, A. D. 1878, so much of each parcel of land herein after described as shall be necessary to satisfy the said executions and all costs in gold coin of the United States, all of said property being situated in Washoe county, Nevada, and being separately described as follows, to wit:

UNKNOWN OWNER.

The following described real estate, to wit: $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 32, T10, NR 18 E—amount \$23.00

UNKNOWN OWNER.

$\frac{1}{4}$ of NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 4, T10, NR 18 E—amount 23.81

UNKNOWN OWNER.

Lots 3 and 4, of SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 30, T18, NR 18 E—amount 23.82

UNKNOWN OWNER.

$\frac{1}{4}$ of SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 32, T10, NR 18 E—amount 23.41

Sheriff's Office, Reno, June 27th, 1878. A. K. LAMB, Sheriff. By W. M. YOUNG, Deputy Sheriff.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

FOR DELINQUENT TAXES FOR the fiscal year ending December 31st, A. D. 1877, under and by virtue of three different writs of execution issued out of the Justice Court of Reno Township, Washoe county, Nevada, to me directed and delivered on the 9th day of July, A. D. 1878, upon three different judgments recovered in said court on the 28th day of June, A. D. 1878, and on record in said court, in favor of the State of Nevada Plaintiff, and against the following named owners, Defendants, the possessory claims and improvements thereon, together with costs and expense of sale, at public auction in front of the Court House doors in the town of Reno, Washoe county, Nevada, between the hours of 9 o'clock A. M. and 5 o'clock P. M., on TUESDAY, the THIRTYEIGHT (38) DAY of JULY, A. D. 1878, so much of each parcel of land herein after described as shall be necessary to satisfy the said executions and all costs in gold coin of the United States, all of said property being situated in Washoe county, Nevada, and being separately described as follows, to wit:

UNKNOWN OWNER.

$\frac{1}{4}$ of NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 4, T10, NR 18 E—amount 23.81

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Monday, the 13th day of August,
A. D. 1878.

I will sell so much of each parcel of land and improvements herein described, as shall be necessary to satisfy the said executions, and all costs in each suit, in gold coin of the United States, all of said described property being situated in Washoe county, Nevada, and being separately described as follows, to wit:

O. S. COOCH,

$\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 26, T. 20, NR 20 E, and improvements—amount \$33.30

J. WILLIAMS,

NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 16, T. 18, NR 18 E, also NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 10, T. 18, NR 20 E, and improvements—amount \$30.00

PETER ROBINSON,

Possessory claim and improvements on 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ of 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ of Sec. 3, T. 19, NR 18 E—amount \$37.57

Sheriff's office, Reno, July 9th, 1878. A. K. LAMB, Sheriff. By W. M. YOUNG, Deputy Sheriff.

NOTICE.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT held in and for Washoe county, Nevada.

In the matter of the estate of W. E. BIDLEMAN, Deceased.

JULIA W. BIDLEMAN, the Administratrix of the estate of W. E. Bidleman, deceased, having sold the entire hereditable real property described in the inventory and appraisement, and being situated on Truckee river, in Washoe county, State of Nevada, and known as Bidleman's Ranch, containing about eight hundred and a few, more or less (real estate belonging to estate of said deceased) for the purpose set forth.

It is therefore ordered by the Judge of this Court that all persons interested in the estate of said deceased appear before the said District Court

On the First Day of August, A. D. 1878

At 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day at the Court Room of said District Court at the Court House, in Reno, Washoe county, Nevada, to show cause why an order should not be granted the said Administratrix to sell at public sale, as soon as may be necessary, and that is to say, of this order to be published at least four successive weeks in the "Nevada State Journal," a newspaper printed and published in Reno, Washoe county, Nevada, S. H. WRIGHT, District Judge.

Dated June 23rd, 1878.

NOTICE.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT, SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT of the State of Nevada, held in and for the County of Washoe. In the matter of the estate of MARTIN V. GILVERET, deceased. On writing and filing a final account and petition for distribution of the estate of W. W. Holbrook, Administrator with the will annexed, and the estate of Martin V. Gibb, deceased, and it appearing that the said administration is ready to be settled and distribution thereof ordered to be settled. It is therefore ordered that notice of said final account, and of the petition for distribution be given by posting notices in three public places in this county one of which shall be posted at the Court House door, and by a copy of a petition of this order in the "Nevada State Journal," a newspaper printed and published in Reno, Washoe county, Nevada, for four successive weeks from this date, prior to the 25th day of July, 1878, that on such day in July the same being a day in the Apell term, 1878, of the above entitled Court, at the Court House of said county at the opening of court on said day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, the Court will hear and account and petition for distribution, and will allow the same if found correct, and all persons interested in said estate may then and there show cause why said account shall not be allowed, and when and/or if decree shall not be then and there made, distributing the residue of said estate of Martin V. Gilbert, deceased, to the person or persons legally entitled to the same in accordance with law.

S. H. WRIGHT, District Judge.

Dated June 24th, 1878.

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